skating into an air hole near midlake was

His Troubles Have Aggravated a Disease

-Order Issued by Judge Cullen.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Feb. 20.-Judge Cul-

len to-day granted an order requiring the

prosecution to show why a certificate of

doubt should not be granted John Y. Mc-

Kane, sentenced yesterday to six years in

State's prison. The order does not give

much satisfaction to McKane's friends or

inspire expectations that he can be kept

from going to Sing Sing prison this week.

It is not believed that McKane's lawyers

can show that Judge Bartlett made any

blunders during the trial or in the charge

to the jury when the matter comes before

Judge Cullen on Friday. If the judge de-

cides the application adversely McKane will

Gravesend officials fifteen Brooklyn election

inspectors, watchers and employes about

the polls on election day were called upon

to plead on a charge of election frauds.

Some pleaded not guilty; others were put over until Friday for a hearing and some

more until to-morrow. The prosecution in the case of the Gravesend election frauds

held a consultation to-day to decide which

one of the men they would elect to try first.

They would not make known their decision,

but it is thought that Judge Newton will

At the Raymond-street jail to-night John

Y. McKane was said to be very ill. His family doctor visited the jail and decided that the illness was not dangerous, Mc-

Kane was in consultation with lawyer Rod-

erick all day, and worriment over his troubles, Mr. Roderick says, is beginning to show. It is known that McKane takes his

confinement hard and has not been in his

usual robust condition of late. He has been

a sufferer from Bright's disease of the kid-

neys for some time past, and it is said this

allment has been aggravated by the worry

INSANE ASYLUM BURNED.

Over 200 Female Patients Removed to

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 20.-The cen-

tral portion of the State Hospital for In-

sane was burned this morning. When the

fire broke out at 5:30 there were in the

building 220 males, 213 females and 110 keep-

ers and officials. All escaped without in-

jury. Loss estimated at \$150,000; no insur-

The fire started in the laundry. It looked

at one time as if the whole structure was

doomed. At 6:15 o'clock, while the fire was

raging at its highest, and with the mercury

10 degrees above zero, the physicians, Drs.

Howard, Potter and Remington, after a

hurried consultation, concluded that the

safety of the female patients required their

removal to the building in which the male

wards are located. This removal was ef-

fected with remarkable dispatch, consider-

ing the terrible confusion. The patients

were driven frantic by the light and the

noise. Some were sufficiently sane to ap-

preciate their danger without possessing

the mental control to face it. Some rushed

wildly out of the building, only to be

caught, while others were stubborn and

An Unruly Horse's Work.

CHICAGO, Feb. 20. - An unruly horse

kicked over a large can of gasoline at Pat-

rick Ryan's blacksmith shop this afternoon.

and, as a result, one man is at the hospital

suffering with burns which will probably

cause his death and seven other men were

badly burned about the hands and face.

Ryan's blacksmith shop is a large place of

its kind, and to-day, just before the horse kicked over the can of gasoline, the shop

was well filled with customers. A large

bay horse was being shod, when it suddenly

became frightened and unruly and began to

kick. One of his hind feet struck a big can

of oil, and part of its contents were thrown

upon a fire near by. An explosion followed,

and immediately there was chaos in Ryan's

shop. All the men broke for the front door

and about twenty horses in the place began

to rear and kick in all directions. The shop

took fire, but the flames were soon ex-

tinguished. Every man in the place was burned. Frank Bour was burned fatally.

Costly Church Destroyed.

Congregational Church, the handsomest ed-

tower, 114 feet high, being left standing.

The fire originated in the furnace room.

The loss will exceed \$75,000, with \$40,000 in-

Postoffice Wrecked and Burned.

office at Woodlawn, a suburb of Birming-

ham, was blown up this morning in a mys-

terious manner and \$14,000 worth of prop-

erty burned. It is supposed to have been

done by robbers, who, it is believed, used

dynamite. Government detectives are at

work on the case. All the postoffice money

and stamps were either stolen by the rob-

Opera House Damaged.

in the Funk Opera House building caused

between forty and fifty thousand dollars'

damage. The loss on the building was small,

but Lackerman & Co., wholesale and retail

milliners, are heavy losers, while Block &

Conen, dry goods, and W. B. Dennis, men's

furnishings, also suffer. All were partially

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

ceiver of the Tiff House at Buffalo.

ger of being submerged.

sas City yesterday.

suicidal intent.

legislation by Congress.

cause of the assignment.

permanent split is possible.

ton, Ga. He may recover.

cision will be rendered Saturday.

Hiram Exstein has been appointed re-

Bandits Evans and Morrell are back to

The melting snows in California have

The Democrats of Kansas, like their Pop-

Dr. A. Cummings, an old soldier who was

on his way to San Francisco from Sioux

United States Marshal Frank J. Everett,

of Macon, Ga., was stabbed last Sunday by

Arguments on the motion for a new trial

for assassin Prendergast were concluded at

Chicago yesterday. Judge Brentano's de-

The coroner's jury held an inquest on the

body of May Brooklyn, the actress who

committed suicide at San Francisco, and decided that she died from the effects of

a dose of carbolic acid, administered with

The Chicago Board of Trade, through cir-

culars issued by Secretary George F. Stone,

has called a secret meeting, to be held in

Chicago, Feb. 27, to consider ways and

means to anticipate expected anti-option

The Farnsworth Loan and Realty Com-

pany, of Minneapolis, has assigned to Ed-ward C. Chatfield. It is said that claims

outside of those secured will aggregate \$175 .-

000. The financial depression is given as the

Inland Press Association.

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—The eighth annual convention of the Inland Daily Press Asso-

ciation, held to-day, the following officers were elected for the coming year: Presi-

dent, F. R. Gibson, Palladium, Benton Har-bor, Mich.; vice presidents, W. M. Narvis,

Muscatine Journal; S. W. Grubbs, Gales-

burg Republican-Register; F. W. Starbuck, Racine Journal; W. B. Wilson, Lafayette

Journal; L. A. Sherman, Port Huron Times;

secretary and treasurer, Ira S. Carpenter, Michigan City News. The executive com-

mittee was instructed to make an effort

to revive the American Association of Dally

Rich Trotting Stake.

DETROIT, Feb. 20 .- At the spring meet-

ing of the Detroit Driving Club will be de-

cided one of the richest stakes in the his-

man guaranteed stake of \$12,500 for four-

year-olds, the present valuation of which

is \$19,155. This stake was started when the

youngsters were just about old enough to

be broken, and the responses came from

Maine to the Pacific. It will be the first

Poor Boys in Luck.

tory of the trotting turf. This is the horse-

W. L. Turner, a prominent citizen of Eaton-

City, was found dead in a sleeper at Kan-

ulist brethren, are now quarreling, and a

their old quarters in the Fresno (Cal.) jail.

caused serious floods. Stockton is in dan-

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 20 .- Fire to-night

bers or burned.

insured.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Feb. 20.-The post-

None of the others will die.

had to be dragged to a place of safety.

a Place of Safety-Loss \$150,000.

and suspense for the past six weeks.

be the next put to trial.

After Judge Cullen had disposed of the

at once be sent to the State prison.

miles of here. The date and place are not announced for fear of interference. Skotski is in active training in the south part of this city under the direction of a trainer from St. Louis. He will step into the ring a few pounds lighter than he was when he met Lee Hill last spring. Local sports are prepared to back their favorite to the extent of their pile.

DISTRICT K. OF P.

Crawfordsville Meeting with Twenty-Six Commanderies Represented.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., Feb. 20. - A district convention of the Knights of Pythias is in session in this city, the meeting being called to order by W. W. Byers, D. D. G. C. The district is composed of the counties of Montgomery, Boone, Fountain, Vermillion, Hamilton, Parke and Vigo, and there are delegates from the lodges at Cayuga, Dana, Terre Haute, Shannondale, Wingate, Stockwell, Russellville, Greencastle, Attica, Covington, Waynetown, Leb-anon, Ladoga, Hillsboro, New Richmond, Lafayette, Coal Creek, Thorntown, New Market, Riley, Waveland, Fairmount, West Lebanon, Veedersburg, Mace, Jamestown and Darlington, in this State, and Arcanum, O., and Little Rock, Ark. The grand chancellor, James E. Wilson, of Rushville; grand instructor, W. L. Heiskell, of Indian-apolis; district deputy grand chancellor, R. A. Brown, of Franklin, and grand keeper of records and seals, Frank Bowers, of Indianapolis, are also here. The address of welcome was made by W. G. Whitlington, of this city, and W. W. Byers was elected chairman and J. M. McCardle, of New Richmond, secretary. After organization the grand instructor gave an exemplification of the secret work. The session will last over to-morrow.

K. of P. Banquet at Greensburg. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

GREENSBURG, Ind. Feb. 20 .- Last night the K. of P. Lodge, No. 148, gave a banquet at the Rink Opera House. It was the event of the season, and was a complete success In every way. There were 254 covers. Jas. E. Caskey was the toast master. The toasts E. Caskey was the toast master. The toasts and responses were as follows: "Our Officers, Grand and Local," M. D. Tackett; "Our Members," Oscar G. Miller;" duet, piano and cello, Miss Pear Williams and William Erdman; "Uniform Rank," Milt Parsons; "Pythian Sisters," W. C. Ehrhart; recitation, "The Juniors," Miss Clara Lambert; "Imitation," Robert Baker; "F. C. B.," C. T. Powner; song by Marsh Thomas, with drill accompaniment; "Pythianism as a Moral, Social and Religious Benefactor," Rev. J. W. Duncan; "District Convention," M. E. Newhouse; "Damon and Pythias," Grand C. C. James E. Watson, of Rushville.

The addresses were brilliant, eloquent and instructive. The lodge is in a prosperous condition. It started with twenty-six char-ter members and now numbers 187, including some of the best citizens of the city.

Grand Lodge A. O. U. W. in Session. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Feb. 20 .- The sixteenth session of the Indiana Grand Lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen convened here to-day, with T. D. Neal, grand master workman, of Frankton, presiding. Some important legislative changes were made, to conform with the supreme laws, the maximum membership age being lowered to forty-five years. It was decided to hold the next meeting at South Bend. Committees on good of the order and resolutions were appointed. To-night an entertainment was given at the opera house. Mayor McGinley welcomed the visitors and Grand Master Workman Neal responded. E. V. Emrick, of Fort Wayne, made an

A BLOODHOUND POISONED.

Some One Trying to Kill the Seymour Man Hunters.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. SEYMOUR, Ind., Feb. 20 .-- One of the famous bloodhounds that tracked murderer Stone, and which found young Denny Connelly, of North Vernon, after being lost two days and three nights, being one of the same dogs that tracked the murderer of policeman Watterson at Indianapolis, was poisoned at Osgood yesterday.

Saturday night a gang of Osgood thieves made a wholesale raid and carried off chickens by the hundred. W. A. Carter was telegraphed to bring his bloodhounds, and arrived there the same evening and struck a trail about 6 p. m. It became noised about, and fully five hundred people, on foot and horseback, followed the man hunters. Arriving in Osgood, the dogs halted at three different residences, where persons of unsavory reputation reside, but the heads of the families had fled. Excitement grew intense, and the crowd multiplied until every alley and street was blocked by a howling mob. The dogs were called off before mid-night, after they had scented the rendezyous of their prey.

Yesterday morning, as the owner of the hounds was eating breakfast at the Ripley House, he left the dogs in charge of bystanders in the office, when the famous Lucy, the most valuable bloodhound in southern Indiana, was poisoned under the very nose of the watchers.

DEMOCRATIC HARMONY.

Nearly Every Township in Shelby , Split Up Over Crooked Primaries.

Bpecial to the Indianapolis Journal. SHELBYVILLE, Ind., Feb. 20.-The Democratic township primaries of this county have nearly all been held, and at some of them strange things have taken place. Union township was bankrupted a faw years ago by its trustee. Cv Montgomery. who purchased an extensive bill of school furniture and is now a fugitive from justice. Auditor Harry C. Ray appointed a well-known farmer, John F. Mohr, to the place. Mohr was a candidate for the nomination at the convention, but the night before some one posted every crossroads in the township with placards accusing him of nearly all the crimes in the calendar except murder, and he was defeated the next day. Mohr has offered a reward for the arrest of his enemies and declares that he will have them prosecuted for criminal libel. In Brandywine township it is openly charged that voters were imported from Johnson county to defeat William R. Smith, another of Auditor Ray's appointcrooked nominations were made prominent Democrats declare they will support an independent ticket.

STOLE QUEEN LIL'S DIAMONDS.

A Former Indiana Man Got Away with 361 Gems.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. PETERSBURG, Ind., Feb. 20. - Preston Horner, formerly of Oakland City, recently a guard of the provisional government in Hawaii, has been arrested at Fort Smith, Ark., for taking 361 diamonds from Queen Liliuokalani at Honolulu. Horner succeeded in evading the officials in Hawaii and making his escape to the United States. He was closely followed by detectives and finally located at Fort Smith. The police of that city recovered six of the gems from a Mrs. McGinnis, with whom Horner is said to have been on very intimate terms. The officers received \$1,000 for the arrest. Young Horner is well known in southern Indiana. During his residence at Oakland City, it is alleged, he was implicated in a number of burglaries. He stole a gold watch from David Doughty, of that place, and fled. The prisoner will be taken back to Hawaii for

MRS. HATTIE TAYLOR IN TEARS. Her Husband Hears Bad Stories and Has Packed Up and Gone.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. LEBANON, Ind., Feb. 20.-Mrs. Hattle Taylor, the woman leader of the recent mob which came so near lynching the negro Hall, has come to grief over the part she took in the affair. Soon after the occurrence a great deal of indignation was aroused by the better class of citizens that such a disgraceful attempt at outlawry had been made | cle from Indianapolis, fell a distance of in this city. Mrs. Taylor came in for a good share of the criticism. Her character was assatted, and some sensational stories He is a well-known G. A. R. man. reached her husband's ears, and the result was he left her and refuses to again live with her. She visited an attorney to-day, and, amid tears, beseeched him to know if there was any judicial way to regain her husband. She threatens to take her life if he continued to remain away.

ON A HABEAS CORPUS.

Augustus Gambol Seeks His Liberty on a Charge of Abduction.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. ANDERSON, Ind., Feb. 20. - Augustus Gambol, the Arkansas man placed behind the bars last night on the charge of adduction, appeared to-day before Judge Ellison on a writ of habeas corpus. The date for the decision in the case was postponed until March 5, and the child placed in the custody of the bailiff. James Schnell. at Warsaw, was sent on an errand across to an estate worth about \$2,000,000 by the Great indignation is occasioned from the Elagie lake at that place last night, and death of an uncle in Idaho.

active part Chief of Police Welker and patrolman Pense took in the abduction, and an investigation by the Metropolitan Police Commission may lead to dismissals.

ROBERT HOLDING HELD. A Terre Haute Citizen Tries to Pass

Forged Paper in Colorado. DENVER, Col., Feb. 20.-Robert S. Holding has been arrested here charged with uttering and attempting to pass forged checks amounting to nearly \$8,000. His family is prominent in Terre Haute, Ind., where he has a wife and two children. A brother is a popular minister in Toledo, and his sister is the wife of Rev. George M. Jeffrey, of Provo, U. T.

Purdue Students' Excursion.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. LAFAYETTE, Ind., Feb. 20 .- The second annual excursion of live-stock husbandry students of the school of agriculture of Purdue University will be conducted as follows: The party will leave Lafayette on March 3, and first go to Thorntown, Ind. Horace will be the next stopping place, where a day will be passed. Leaving Horace at noon, the party expects to reach Lexington, Ky., on Sunday night. Two days will be spent there among the noted stock farms, at the Kentucky Agricultural College and experiment station, and at several other establishments of interest. The last stopping place will probably be Richmond, Ky. The party is to be conducted by C. S Plumb. All arrangements as to railroad and hotel rates, meals and accommodations en route are now perfected, and each person going on the trip will be provided with a programme, detailing the schedule of trip, including hours of meals, length of stops along route, etc., from first to last. The party expects to be absent about a week. Last year the excursion was a great educational success. This year the university expects fully as much, inasmuch as the party will visit some of the most famous studs, flocks and herds in the land. The students will learn much of methods of management, feeding, stock breeding, barn building, character of animals, etc.

Defending His Wife's Honor.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MARION, Ind., Feb. 20.-Morgan Beasley was acquitted to-day of a charge of shooting with intent to kill. The trial was remarkably short. Aug. 3 he met his brotherin-law, William McMillan, on the highway near his home in Van Buren township and without a word stepped out of the buggy, advanced upon him and fired three shots at him from a revolver. One of them struck McMillan in the thigh and disabled him. Until the trial began yesterday and his attorney outlined his plan of defense not a word of explanation had been given the Yesterday, however, it developed that McMillan had made improper advances to Beasley's wife and Beasley was seeking his victim when he met him. The case was given to the jury to-day at noon. Before the judge returned from dinner the verdict of acquittal was ready.

Small Riot at Montpelier.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. HARTFORD CITY, Ind., Feb. 20.-The sheriff and a posse of five men were summoned to Montpelier, nine miles north of here, to-day, to quell a riot. The constable attempted to arrest George Robinson, an oil man, who was drunk and disorderly. He called two men to assist him, and the fellow got away from them three times. When the posse from here arrived excitement was high. Citizens climbed the fences, while a great crowd of oil men surged in the streets. Revolvers were flourished and a bloody time was prevented only by the prompt action of the officers. Four men were arrested, and Robinson is here in jail to serve out a forty-two days' sentence.

Of Course, Officers Are Suspicious.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. WABASH, Ind., Feb. 20.-Late last night George Franklin, a clairvoyant, got off the the west-bound Wabash train, having come from Huntington, and walked up to Allen strest, where he was met by two strangers, who sandbagged him and then stabbed him viciously with a penknife in the left breast. The ruffians robbed him of a gold watch and \$20, leaving him almost unconscious from loss of blood. Franklin was in a serious condition to-day, but will recover. The officers here seem to think that his story is

Start Up with Reduced Help. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

HUNTINGTON, Ind., Feb. 20.-The Western Lime Company, the works of which have been shut down for three weeks, will start about one-fourth of their kilns tomorrow. To do so, however, it has been necessary to make a cut of about 12 per cent, in wages, and the company has no assurance that it will be able to run except temporarily. Some three hundred men are employed when the works are run to their full capacity, and this resumption will give employment to less than one hundred.

Cut in Miners' Wages Adopted. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

BRAZIL, Ind., Feb. 20 .- A large meeting of the block-coal operators of this district met in the Otter Creek Coal Company's office here to-day to consider the wage question for the coming year, beginning May 1. The meeting was secret, and the operators refuse to talk on the subject, but it is generally conceded that the miners will be cut 25 or 30 cents on the ton. No strike is anticipated, as it is believed the miners will accept the reduction in hopes of getting steadier employment.

Indiana Deaths.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. COLUMBUS, Ind., Feb. 20. - Augustus Keil, ex-county treasurer, died suddenly here to-night from heart failure. He was a candidate for re-election and his canvass brought on unnecessary exposure, causing

MUNCIE, Ind., Feb. 20.-John E. Divinney, a well-known Delaware county farmer. aged sixty, of Harrison township, died last

Four Deaths from Trichinge. LAPORTE, Ind., Feb. 20.-Two more deaths were reported in the Krueger family at Michigan City. The father and mother died last week, and were buried in the same grave. Yesterday two children found relief in death. The four remaining children are bedfast. Death was caused by eating pork infected with trichinae. A new case has developed in the family of Fred Sass, that of a young girl twenty years old, who is in a

Suspicious Death of Crippled Soldier. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

KNOX, Ind., Feb. 20.-Daniel Garrison, a onelegged soldier at Ora, twelve miles southeast of this city, died in the postoffice at Ora under peculiar circumstances this afternoon. He was forcibly ejected from a saloon while intoxicated, and in half an hour was dead. It is claimed Garrison drank carbolic acid with suicidal intent. He leaves a wife and six children.

LeRoy Harris Known at Richmond.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. RICHMOND, Ind., Feb. 20 .- JeRoy Harris, the postoffice swindler, who was arrested in Canada and who subsequently made a sensation in a Buffalo court by holding up the entire court while he made his escape, worked off one of his bogus postal orders for \$100 on the Richmond postoffice and succeeded in getting it cashed some time ago.

Stephen Dilks on Trial for Murder. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

BROOKVILLE, Ind., Feb. 20.-The trial of Stephen Dilks for the murder of Marion F. George was called in the Franklin Circuit Court this morning. Over one hundred witnesses are in attendance. Self-defense is anticipated as the theory of the defense. Hon. Edgar O'Hair is assisting the prose-

Charles Reigle Fatally Burt. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MUNCIE, Ind., Feb. 20.-Charles Reigle, a contract carpenter, who moved to Mun-

over twenty feet from a building, to-day, and received injuries that will prove fatal. Indiana Notes.

President Fisher, of Hanover College, has been ill for three weeks and unable to attend his college duties. Rev. C. C. Edwards, of Shelbyville, is conducting a Methodist revival and has had twenty-three accessions to the church.

The Anderson Lincoln League will be re-

organized to-night and the members ad-dressed by Hon. J. L. Griffiths, of Indian-Daniel Tubbs was stabbed in a fight with Jack Swarens at New Albany last night. "ubbs's condition is serious. Swarens was

Rev. Levi White, of Marion, is conducting a series of revival services in the Congregational Church at Fairmount, meeting with marked success.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., Feb. 20.-Ole and Knudt Skattabo, a couple of poer boys living near Spirit lake, have just fallen heirs Harry Deerwester, aged sixteen, residing

contest on the new track.

Newspapers.

A CAPITOL BESIEGED

The athletic association of DePauw University has elected the following officers: President, Howard Mounts; vice president, O. W. Hankin; secretary, Benjamin Rowe; treasurer, Prof. A. R. Priest. Boston's Hungry Unemployed Storm the Statehouse. BOSS M'KANE WORRIED.

> They Demand Immediate Aid from the Legislature-Riot Prevented by the Police-An Anarchist's Speech.

BOSTON, Feb. 20 .- The unemployed troubles in this city culminated in a demonstration on the Common this afternoon, which for a time threatened to end in a riot. Five thousand men, hungry, ragged and ugly in temper, crowded into the Statehouse and the adjoining grounds, and vociferously demanded their distress. addressed them steps of the Statehouse and was quietly received, and even applauded, although he made no satisfactory answer to their re-

An attempt was then made by the leaders of the demonstration to get a petition before the Legislature, which was then in session, but the rules precluded this, and then things began to look serious. The rotunda was packed with a crowd of men who were waiting to hear the result of their leaders' efforts to present their grievances to the assembled Solons, and when Morrison I. Swift, an avowed Anarchist and the spokesman of the mob, appeared in one of the balconies and said the Legislature had refused to accept their petitions they broke into yells of derision and hisses. Swift leaned over the balcony railing and launched forth into an impassioned tirade against the legislators, who, he said, were too busy creating corporations to listen to the voices of the starving men. His voice shook with emotion as he denounced the treatment the men had received, and his ominous threats to clean out the Statehouse were received with hoarse shouts of approbation.
The brass-buttoned officials and door-

keepers seemed paralyzed with fear, and Governor Greenhalge, who but a few min-utes be re had mingled with the mob-wisely retired to the legislative cham-ber. The few policemen who had been detailed to take care of the crowd were pow-erless, and soon the police wagons from the nearer stations were flying through the streets leading to Beacon Hill, loaded with blue coats, and soon there were one hundred policemen on the scene. An officer who thought there was great danger of the balcony falling placed his hand upon Swift's snoulder and warned him of the danger. Swift stopped speaking and the already furious crowd bylow mistook the action for an arrest and rent the air with curses and execrations upon the police. They swaved back and forth, and it seemed as if violence was to be used, but the speaker quickly assured his followers of the real state of affairs and the excitement subsided. Meanwhile the House of Representatives had remained in session and upon the advice of some of the long-headed members considered the petition from the mob. It was decided to appoint a committee of seven to meet representatives of the unemployed to consider ways and means for their relief. Speaker Meyer, of the House, sent a message to the crowd apprising them of this decision and it appeased them greatly. Another special detachment of police arrived at the side entrance of the Statehouse. They entered and began forcing the mob slowly towards the big front doors. Clubs were drawn and the disgruntled crowd gave way. Then there was an uproar and many of the desperate members urged an attack upon the Legislature, but those more sensible prevailed and the crowd slowly retreated. The police forced them steadily back, but just outside the gate the disap-pointed workmen refused to move further.

crowd slowly retreated across Beacon street and finally halted in the Common. No attempt was made to take another stand and the men slowly disbanded. The petition adopted by the meeting on the Common asked Governor Greenhalge to formulate and put in operation some plan to alleviate the sufferings of the unemployed. The men also asked for State farms and factories where the unemployed might work, for a commission to attend to the wants of the permanent class of unemployed, and asked the State to commence operations upon the proposed Cape Cod

Finally the captains of the various police

divisions held a hurried consultation and de-

cided to drive them still further back. The

Threats of Italians. NEW CASTLE, Pa., Feb. 20.-Several weeks ago nearly all the New Castle man-. ufacturers and railroads centering here de-ROCKFORD, Ill., Feb. 20.-The Second cided that in future they would employ no Italian labor, but would give work to Amerific in point of architecture and equipment ican citizens. As a result the Italians are actually on the verge of starvation. They in Illinois, erected and dedicated two years are greatly enraged, and to-day a foreman ago at a cost of over \$100,000, was gutted received a letter threatening death if forby fire this afternoon, only the walls and eigners were not engaged within a week It stated further that other foremen would be treated the same. The threatened fore-man is greatly alarmed, and is now carrying surance. A handsome new \$8,500 pipe organ was burned with the rest of the elaborate furnishings, nothing being saved. arms to protect himself.

Wages Reduced.

CHAMPAIGN, Ill., Feb. 20.-The employes in the shops of the Big Four have been officially informed that there will be a sweeping reduction made in the wages of all men connected with the mechanical department of the road. In the shops in Urbana four hundred men are employed. The reduction, practically 10 per cent., is causing considerable dissatisfaction.

Answer to Judge Dundy's Order. PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 20.-The attorney for a number of railway orders has filed in the United States Circuit Court an answer to Judge Dundy's order directing the recelvers of the Union Pacific to set aside the scale of wages and regulations and put into

COLLEGE SPORTS.

effect the new scale.

Why President Eliot Thinks They Are Harmful to Students.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Feb. 20.-The annual report of President Eliot, of Harvard University, with its much discussed attack upon college sports, was made public to-day. He says in part:

"In the highly competitive sports which give rise to exciting intercollegiate contests, namely, boat racing, baseball and football, there have been developed in recent years some evils of a serious nature. No sport which rquires of the players more than two hours a day during the term time is fit for college use. No student can keep up his studies and also play his full part in any one of these three sports as at present conducted. There is something exquisitely inappropriate in the extravagant expenditure on athletic sports at such institutions as Harvard and Yale. In the game of football the players have been forced by public opinion to overtrain and overwork until there is great risk of injury and even death. To become brutal and brutalizing is the natural tendency of all sports which involve violent personal collision between the players, as in football."

suggests the following changes: "First-There should be no freshman intercollegiate matches nor races. "Second-No games, intercollegiate or other, should be played on any other but college fields belonging to one of the competing colleges or in the college town. "Third-No professional student should take part in any collegiate contests. "Fouth-No student should be a member of a university team or crew or more than one sport within the same year. "Fifth-No football should be played until the rules are so amended as to diminish the number and the violence of the collisions between the players and provide for the enforcement of the rules. "Sixth-Intercollegiate contests in any one sport should not take place oftener than

In the matter of remedies the president

every other year." Indicted for Hanging an Effigy. NEBRASKA, CITY, Neb., Feb. 20.-The Otis county grand jury investigated the hanging in effigy of Secretary of Agriculture J. Sterling Morton and his son, and found but two persons implicated-Zach T. White and Henry A. Hoerarth, one a constable and the other a painter. Both men have been indicted. The action of the grand jury is heartily indorsed by all men. regardless of politics. Mr. Morton and his family are held in high esteem in this community, and the guilty parties had no other motive than petty maliciousness.

Legislators Cannot Get Their Pay. DENVER, Col., Feb. 20.-State Treasurer Nance refuses to transfer the \$83,000 left over from the legislative fund of 1891 to the unexpended fund of \$11,000 now in the State treasury for the purpose of paying the expenses of the extra session of the Legislature, as authorized by the appropriation bill recently passed. His reason is that the \$83,000 is tied up by the injunction of E. H. Rollins & Son, who represent holders of warrants of 1891. The legislators are now looking for some other fund from which they can take their sauries.

Froth

The froth or scum rising upon a mixture of baking powder and water is not evidence of superior leavening power. It is caused by gum, or blood albumen, added specially to produce this effect to deceive the housekeeper. It is conclusive evidence of the presence in the powder of an adulterant, generally a filthy

A pure cream of tartar and soda baking powder never froths like this, but gives off clear and sparkling carbonic acid gas, in appearance like that from a glass of champagne.

Alum powders and those containing blood albumen are the worst form of adulterated baking powders. They can be distinguished by the froth they give off, instead of that natural effervescence which takes place with a cream of tartar baking powder.

Royal Baking Powder is free from blood albumen, alum, ammonia and every species of adulteration. Mix a spoonful with water and note the clear and sparkling effervescence which follows. It is the strongest in leavening gas, and makes the purest, most wholesome food.

AFTER THE LICENSE.

Witness Ioor Sorry He Testified to the Young Lady's Age.

It is highly probable that the marriage of J. K. Bradley and Maud Headlund, of Washington township, will not go on to-day as was anticipated. The license was secured Monday, and yesterday the mother of the bride-elect called at the clerk's office. She asserted that her daughter was under the legal age and should not have been granted a license. The affidavit, it seems, was signed by C. J. Ioor, a shoe dealer at No. 162 West Washington street, who is just now very uncomfortable. The bride's mother had an interview with him yesterday afternoon, and he at once went to the clerk's office. There he was told that the only way out of the muddle would be to recover the marriage certificate. Mr. Ioor says that he was honest in testifying to the eligibility of the applicants, but he proposes to make himself safe, even at the cost of the young people's happiness.

FARM BUILDINGS BURNED.

Big Fire Northeast of the City at an Early Hour This Morning.

About 1 o'clock this morning a brilliant light just east of north in the northern heavens was the cause of considerable speculation. It had not the proper color to be called the aurora borealis, and its steady glow was hardly what would be expected from a country fire. The light was plainly visible for about half an hour when it disappeared. No authentic information as to its cause could be learned, but it was reported down town at about 2 o'clock that the house and barn upon a large dairy farm northeast of the State fair grounds had been destroyed. The information was meager, and could not be traced to any reliable source, but the report was current that both buildings were totally destroyed, with their contents, and that several head of stock had perished in the flames.

RECORDER'S OFFICE TANGLE.

Mass of Documents Not Indexed-Donnelly's Claim.

County Recorder Donnelly has just completed the work of indexing a large number of volumes, a work in which the late Peter Carson in some way fell behind Mr. Donneily, it is said, has asked the commissioners to assume the expense of the work, but they have refused. It is further reported that back of the term of the late Recorder Carson is a mass of documents that have never been indexed. The work will cost \$2,000 or \$3,000. Mr. Donnelly will not go on with this work unless the commissioners make an allowance, and it is said that the recent dismissals from his office are merely to show the commissioners that he intends to stop all progress in this direction unless the price is forthcoming.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Snow in Southern Indiana, with Colder, North Winds. WASHINGTON, Feb. 20 .- For Indiana and Illinois-Snow in southern; probably fair in northern portions; colder in southern portions; north winds.

For Ohio-Snow; northeast winds. Local Observations.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind. Feb 20. Time. | Bar | Ther. | R. H. | Wind. | Weather. | Fre. 7 A. M. 30.38 14 89 N'east. Ptscloudy 0.00 7 P. M. 30 24 22 65 N'west Cloudy. 0.00 Maximum temperature, 29; minimum temperature, 14. The following is a comparative statement of the temperature and precipitation,

Feb. 20, 1894: Normal.... 0.12 21 0.00 Mean..... Departure from normal...... Excess or deficiency since Feb. 1 -0.12*2.50 *229 *0.74 Excess or deficiency since Jan 1 C. F. R. WAPPENHANS, Pius. Local Forecast Official, United States Weather Bereau.

Low Temperature. ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 20 .- There is no sign of a blizzard in this section, but the cold is intense, ranging from zero to fortyfour below. The weather bureau to-day reported eleven below zero, twenty at Duluth, twenty-two at Moorhead and forty-four below in the Mesaba iron range. A decided rise in temperature is promised by Wednesday night. A blizzard is raging in several of the Western States.

Failed to Identify Them.

Two men were seen acting suspiciously last night, in the vicinity of Walnut and Pennsylvania streets, where William Gates was held up and robbed Monday night. Chief Splann and detectives Thornton and Wilson were summoned, and found that the men answered the description of the parties who robbed Gates. They were taken before the latter, but he failed to identify them. The officers thought it best to hold them, however, on suspicion. They gave their names as Fred Crisp and Ed Howard at the police station.

State Omcers to Go to Washington. Governor Matthews and other State officers and several prominent railroad attorneys expect to go to Washington the last of this week to be on hand for the arguments in the United States Supreme Court there early next week of the Indiana railroad tax case. Now that the vacancy in the Supreme Bench is filled the case is expected to come up for argument without further delay.

In Honor of Professor Scudder. The classes of the Eclectic College of Physicians and Surgeons of this city have been dismissed until after the funeral of Prof. John M. Scudder, a noted medical writer of Cincinnati. At the funeral at Cincinnati, today, the college will re represented. Sultable resolutions will be adopted by the col-

Well-Known Printer Dies. Frank P. Gibson, a well-known printer and member of the Indianapolis Typographical Union, died of consumption Monday night at his home on Fayette street. The funeral will take place to-morrow morning

lege on Thursday.

at 9:30 at St. Bridget's Church. Will Receive Chairman Gowdy. The Traveling Men's Republican Club will give Chairman Gowdy, of the State cen- | Victoria, from Hamburg.

AMUSEMENTS.

14th Annual Entertainment In Aid of the

CHARITY FUND Indianapolis Lodge No. 13 B. P. O. ELKS

ENGLISH'S OPERA HOUSE Wednesday Eve., Feb. 21, 1894

> GRAND MINSTREL AND MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT

Grand Street Parade Wednesday, at 11 o'clock, headed by the Indianapolis Military Band. Reserved Seat Sale opens at the Theater Monday noon, Feb. 19.

GRAND-MITTINEE TO.DAY Last time to night. A MARVELOUS PERFORMANCE!

In Mystifying Feats of Legerdemain! All New! Ail Wonderful! All Entertaining! Do not fail to see him Prices-Orckestra and boxes, \$1; dress circle, 750; balcony, 50c; gallery, 25c. Matinee-All lower floor,

PARK THEATER

TO-DAY at 2. TO-NIGHT at 8. MURRAY and MACK, In their rollicking farce-comedy, FINNIGAN'S BALL

Captivating Songs! Graceful Dancers! Everything New! Everything Bright Prices-10e, 20c an 130c. Matine Thursday, Friday and Saturday-Mattle Vickers.

ENGLISH'S OPERA Three Nights, commencing THURSDAY, Feb. 23

 ${f T}{f U}{f X}{f E}{f D}{f O}$ And HUGHEY DOUGHERTY'S WORLD'S FAIR

Bubbling over with New Features! Hear the Grenadier Band! Frices—Orchestra circle. #1: orchestra, 75c; dress circle. 50c; balcony, 25c; gallery, 15c. Mathee—All lower floor, 50c; balcony, 25c. Seats on sale.

GRAND-SPECIAL THE SALE OF SEATS FOR

MARIE TEMPEST And the WHITNEY OPERA COMPANY, In the greatest metropolitan success, the

FENCING MASTER, As presented 250 nights at the New York Casino, open Saturday morning, at 9 o'clock. PRICES-All lower floor, \$1.50; first three rows bal-cony, \$1; balance balcony, lac; gallery, 25c; general a im ssion-lower floor, \$1; balcony, 50c.

EMPIRE THEATER Corner Wabash and Del. Ste MATINEE at 2, TO NIGHT at 8, 10c, 15c, 25c. 15c, 25c, 50c. Russell Brothers' Comedians.

Introducing JOHN-RUSSELL-JAMES And a strong array of talent. NEXT WEEK-GUS HILL'S NOVELTIES.



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Bot'er Tubes, Cast and Malleable I ron Fittings (black and gal vanized), V lves, Stop cocks, Engine Frimmings Steam Gauges, Pipe Tengs, Pipe Cutters, Vises, Sen w Plates and Dies, Wrenches, Stea a Traps, Pumps, kitchen sinks, Hose, Belting, Babbit Metal, Sol-der, Walte and Colored Wiping Waste, and all other Supplies use i in connect on with Gas. Steam and Water. Natunal Gas Supplies a specialty. Steam-heating Apparat a for Public Buildings Store rooms, Mills, Shoos, Pactories, Laundries. Lumber Dryhouses, etc. Cut and Thread to or ler any size Wought-fron Pipe, from 12 inch to 12 inches

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tral committee, a reception next Saturday

evening at its rooms. Proposed Rifle Tournament.

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.-The Military Rifle Association, consisting of adjutant-generals and other officers of the militia of Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin, Michigan, Iowa and Minnesota, met at the Palmer House today and arranged to hold a tournament beginning Sept. 10, provided at least three States will participate. The place where it is to be held will be decided upon later. It was decided to change the rules so as to do away with the forty-round skirmish run and substitute a twenty-round skirmish.

A St. Louis Parkhurst.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 20 .- Rev. Frank G. Tyrrell, pastor of the Central Christian Church and chairman of the law and order league, will begin active work to-morrow in the matter of closing the immoral resorts of the city. The crusade will be carried on as vigorously here as Dr. Parkhurst's movement was in New York. Mr. Tyrrell will not be content with exposing the resorts of the city, but will bring to light those who profit, even in an indirect way, by the

dens of vice. Movements of Steamers.

LONDON, Feb. 20.-The American line steamer Paris arrived at Liverpool to-day. GIBRALTAR, Feb. 20.-Arrivel: Kaiser Wilhelm H. from New York. NEW YORK, Feb. 20 .- Arrived: Augusta